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USE THEREOF

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RESPONSE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated March 15, 2000, now due on July 15, 2000, with a one month extension of time, and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following remarks. The Applicants concurrently submit a petition for an extension of time for one (1) month, to and including July 15, 2000 accompanied by the required fee and Exhibit A, containing a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.132 .

REMARKS

Claims 1-9, 11 and 12 remain pending. No new matter has been entered.
Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully solicited.